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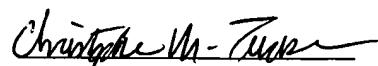
Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 1.97(d), and 1.97(e)(1), Applicants bring to the attention of the Examiner the documents listed on the attached PTO 1449 which have been cited during the prosecution of related foreign patent applications. This IDS is being filed after the mailing of a Final Office Action but prior to payment of an issue fee. Accordingly, Applicants provide a certification as set forth in C.F.R. 1.97(e)(1) and a fee as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(p). Applicants state, according to 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(e)(1), that each item of information contained in the information disclosure statement was first cited in an Office Action from the JPO in counterpart foreign application number 2002-032778 not more than three months prior to the filing of the information disclosure statement. Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner consider the listed documents prior to the first examination on the merits and indicate that they were considered by making appropriate notations on the attached form.

Copies of JPA 2000-132332 (Toru), JPA 09-146691 (Tano), and WO 01/16691 (Fåhraeus) are attached to this paper. Also, a copy of the Office Action in Japanese patent application number 2002-032778 citing these documents is attached. In lieu of a statement of relevance for JPA 2000-132332 and JPA 09-146691, Applicants attach an English Language abstracts for these documents.

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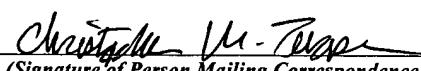
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